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ATTACHMENTS:

A) YUGOSLAV ARMED FORCES

a) Troops

Mar 51- Unidentified K.N.O.J. unit lodged in a private residence located at an unknown point of the place in the margin. It is said to be charged with the guard service of the nearby coast.

It includes 8 - 9 soldiers and the commanding officer is a lieutenant.

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" " Unidentified tank unit located in the Yugoslav capital.

BELGRADE

Mar 51- Labor battalion located in the place in the margin.

KONITS
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" " Labor battalion in the place in the margin.

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b) Defense preparations

Mar 51- Work is being done in the area of the place in the margin.

PAKLENICA

This is a narrow gorge going up the lower slopes of the VELEBIT ^{where} ~~the~~

work [] has been going

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on for about a year and a half.

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[] while in the ~~past~~ the explosion of mines was heard, now bags of cement and iron ties are seen ^{being} unloaded near the above area.

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Only soldiers are employed in this work and they are reportedly lodged in barracks near the places of work. The soldiers, almost entirely Serbs and Macedonians, are kept away from civilians. The inhabitants of the area cannot enter the places where work is going on.

[] these are probably tunnels which have been built for the purpose of sheltering the ministries in case of war.

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■ Mar 51- Unidentified project under way on the island indicated in the margin.

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" " Unidentified project in progress on the island in the margin.

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c) Services

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" " Workshop for repair of motor vehicles located in ~~the~~ a shed on the drill grounds of the place indicated in the margin.

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d) Training schools

Mar 51- ~~Cadet~~ ARTILLERY OFFICERS' SCHOOL ^{candidate}

ZARA

Located in the former "Vittorio Veneto" barracks.

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Commanding officer of the school: a colonel.

Number of cadets about 400

Uniforms blue []

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Jacket, long pants with red stripe two inches wide; stiff cap; on the shoulders

they wear two crossed cannons of the same color with red stitching.

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Length of course: The length of the course is said to be 4 years, at the end of which the cadet obtains the rank of "ZASTAVNIK"

Miscellaneous The cadets are between the ages of 16 and 22 years and come from the various regions of the ~~territory~~ ^{Country}. Their instruction is, for the most part, inside the barracks.

They have liberty only for a few hours ~~in the~~ on Sunday afternoon.

They can not associate socially with civilians.

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Mar 51- ADVANCED TRAINING SCHOOL FOR OFFICERS

ZARA

located in the former "Cadorna" barracks. It is attended by about 200 cadets with the rank of "zastavnik" - second lieutenant or lieutenant.

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some officers who took their families to ZARA, could not go to their homes ~~on~~ until Saturday evening and had to report back to the school ~~Monday~~ the following Monday morning.

B) AIR FORCES

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" " Military airport of.
Under construction:
3 hangars with metal framework of unidentified size, and a ~~brick~~ masonry building for lodging troops, about 50 x 20 meters in dimension.

.ZEMUNIK

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Commanding officer of the air field: a colonel.

Numerous officers, including about a hundred ~~zastavniks and lieutenants~~ ^{with the ranks of "zastavnik" and second lieutenant.}

There are 3 ~~buses~~ ^{buses} serving from the city to the airport for transporting the officers.

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single engine ~~monoplanes~~ and some twin engine ~~monoplanes~~ planes

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In general there is considerable air activity.

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C) ECONOMIC INFORMATION

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I) Industry

Mar 51- Directly south of the place indicated in the margin construction is under BOCCAGNAZZO
factory

way of buildings which will be used as a ~~workshop~~ for the production of
precision instruments for aviation.

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In the former carabinieri barracks of ~~the~~ ^{this} place, destroyed by bombings,
apartment have been built and are now occupied by the various engineers in
charge of planning and eventually building the buildings for the above shops.

At present some of these engineers are engaged in surveying the ground where
the shops will be built.

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